

# Report to the Auburn City Council

Action Item
Agenda Item No.

To:

Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From:

Robert Richardson, City Manager

Andy Heath, Administrative Services Director

Date:

July 8, 2013

Subject:

Employee Association Memoranda of Understanding

#### The Issue

Shall the City Council approve the negotiated Memoranda of Understanding between the International Association of Firefighters, Local 4110 and Auburn Police Sergeants Association; and implement the approved salary and benefit adjustments for the City of Auburn mid-managers and confidential/unrepresented employee groups?

# Conclusions and Recommendations

By **RESOLUTION** adopt the Memorandum of Understanding between the International Association of Firefighters, Local 4110 and the City of Auburn for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014, and authorize the City Manager to sign on behalf of the City.

By **RESOLUTION** adopt the Memorandum of Understanding between the Auburn Police Sergeants Association and the City of Auburn for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014, and authorize the City Manager to sign on behalf of the City.

By **RESOLUTION** adopt the approved salary and benefit adjustments between the midmanagement employee group and the City of Auburn for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

By **RESOLUTION** adopt the approved salary and benefit adjustments between the confidential/unrepresented employee group and the City of Auburn for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

#### **Background**

As a means to secure current Memoranda of Understanding (MOU) between the City of Auburn and various bargaining units / employee groups, the City of Auburn and several bargaining units / groups entered into negotiations earlier this year. The negotiation

process has concluded with four bargaining groups / employee groups, who have tentatively agreed to the following general changes:

# **International Association of Firefighters, Local 4110**

- o Term of MOU 12 month MOU effective July 1, 2013 June 30, 2013.
- o Salary Increases 4% of base salary, effective July 1, 2013.
- o Implementation of a traditional rank structure by modifying position titles to reflect industry standards and facilitate interaction with regional fire departments.
- o Incorporation of current Family Leave language practice into MOU.
- O Consideration of lower-cost Employee Assistance Program (EAP) as a potential substitute for the existing EAP.
- o Inclusion of unused portion of city-funded medical costs into employee earnings.
- o Incorporation of the new PEPRA (Retirement Reform) language into MOU.

Total Estimated FY 1314 Fiscal Impact (General Fund) = \$49,628

#### **Auburn Police Sergeants Association**

0	Term of MOU -	12 month MOU effective July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014.
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- o Salary Increases 4% of base salary, effective July 1, 2013.
- One-Time Payment 4% one-time, non-pensionable payment (FY 1213 carryover).
- o CalPERS Swap 3.16% added to base salary in exchange for employee's payment of additional 4% of CalPERS Retirement Employee Share (cost-neutral).
- o Graveyard Premium Additional 2.5% of base pay for working graveyard.
- O Detective Premium Additional 2.5% of base pay for Sergeant working as Detective Sergeant.
- O Vacation Sell Back Provide one-time opportunity for employee to sell back up to 108 hours of vacation (54 hours in December 2013 and 54 hours in June 2014).

# Auburn Police Sergeants Association, cont.

O Workout Program - Work with City to develop on-duty workout program, which expires at the end of this agreement.

o Pay for Performance - Work with City to develop Pay for Performance Program, which expires at the end of this agreement.

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Total Estimated FY 1314 Fiscal Impact (General Fund) = \$58,884 Total Potential Vacation Payout - FY 1314 = Up to \$26,674

# **Mid-Management Employee Group**

o Term of Agreement - 12 month Agreement effective July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014.

o Salary Increases - 4% of base salary, effective July 1, 2013.

o Technology Allowance - \$1,000 one-time technology allowance available to Senior

Planner and Building Official

One-Time Payment - 4% one-time, non-pensionable payment (FY 1213 carryover)

for Police Lieutenant only.

o MOU Development - City and Employee Group to develop a comprehensive MOU

specific to Mid-Management Employee Group.

Total Estimated FY 1314 Fiscal Impact (General Fund) = \$19,371

## Confidential / Unrepresented Employee Group

Term of Agreement - 12 month Agreement effective July 1, 2013 – June 30, 2014.

o Salary Increases - 4% of base salary, effective July 1, 2013.

o CalPERS Payment - Employees' responsible for 7% payment of CalPERS

Retirement Employee Share.

MOU Development - City and Employee Group to develop a comprehensive MOU

specific to Confidential / Unrepresented Employee Group.

Total Estimated FY 1314 Fiscal Impact (General Fund) = (\$4,260) Total Estimated FY 1314 Fiscal Impact (Transit Fund) = (\$1,877)

# Alternatives Available to Council; Implications of Alternatives

- 1. Adopt the resolutions authorizing the City Manager to execute the Memoranda of Understanding between the International Association of Firefighters, Local 4110 and Auburn Police Sergeants Association; and implement the approved salary and benefit adjustments as they relate to the City of Auburn mid-managers and confidential/unrepresented employee groups.
- 2. Do not adopt the resolution(s) and direct the City Manager accordingly.

## Fiscal Impact

The total net incremental base-budget fiscal impact for the above changes is:

Fiscal Year 2013-14 -

\$123,623 General Fund

\$ 1,877 Transit Fund Savings

The fiscal impacts referenced above have been included in the budget being recommended for Fiscal Year 2013-14.

The tentative Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Auburn and the above noted bargaining groups are available for review in the City Clerks Office and the Administrative Services Department

1	RESOLUTION NO. 13-			
2	RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION			
3	OF FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 4110 MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING			
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5	THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUBURN DOES HEREBY RESOLVE:			
6	That the City Council of the City of Auburn does hereby adopt the			
7	Memorandum of Understanding between the International Association of			
8	Firefighters (IAFF) Local 4110 and the City of Auburn for the period July 1,			
9	2013 through June 30, 2014, and authorizes the City Manager to sign on			
10	behalf of the City.			
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12	DATED: July 8, 2013			
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14	Kevin Hanley, Mayor ATTEST:			
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16	Stephanie L. Snyder, City Clerk			
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18	I, Stephanie L. Snyder, City Clerk of the City of Auburn, hereby certify			
19 that the foregoing resolution was duly passed at a regular meeting				
20	Council of the City of Auburn held on the 8 <sup>th</sup> day of July 2013 by the following vote on roll call:			
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22	Ayes: Noes:			
23	Absent:			
24	Stephanie L. Snyder, City Clerk			
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1	RESOLUTION NO. 13-			
2	RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AUBURN POLICE SERGEANTS			
- 3	ASSOCIATION MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING			
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5	THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUBURN DOES HEREBY RESOLVE:			
6	That the City Council of the City of Auburn does hereby adopt the			
7	Memorandum of Understanding between the Auburn Police Sergeants			
8	Association (APSA) and the City of Auburn for the period July 1, 2013 through			
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3	MID-MANAGEMENT EMPLOYEE GROUP			
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8	the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.			
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10	- Base salary adjustment of 4%, effective July 1, 2013			
11	- \$1,000 one-time technology allowance available to Senior Planner ar			
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13	- 4% Non-Pensionable one-time payment for Police Lieutenant			
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8	Group for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.			
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10	- Base salary adjustment of 4%, effective July 1, 2013.			
11	- Employees assume responsibility for 7% payment of CalPERS			
12	Retirement Premium employee share.			
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